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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Central Intelligence

FROM : Richard Lehman, Acting Chairman
National Intelligence Council

SUBJECT : Worldwide Congressional Briefing

1. Attachment 1 is the proposed outline for your own presentation to the congressional committees, as I described it this morning. As I mentioned this morning, you may wish to add or subtract topics. One possible candidate for dropping is the nuclear proliferation section at the end, and I have included as Attachment 2 an East Asian section that you could add.

2. The list of NIOs to accompany you is fairly long, but you may want to add [] if indeed you did talk about proliferation. I believe Gries should be there even if you don't yourself discuss East Asia.

3. As graphics for your presentation, we would suggest:

- A chart showing in simple terms the Soviet economic dilemma. [] I have asked that a projection for '81 to '85 be added to this chart. This will show better than the present one the continuing sharp decline in growth of GNP and the essential continuation of military growth at the same level.
- Orientation map of the Caribbean basin.
- Orientation map of Africa.
- Orientation map of the Middle East.

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The NIOs who accompany you will, of course, have detailed graphics of their own.

4. Attachment 4 is the assembled backup text for the topics in your briefing and some additional ones. We have not attempted to type these uniformly, but can do so if you wish.

5. We will await your further guidance.

Richard Lehman

Attachments (4)

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